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*The  
Red and Gray*

*Volume IX*

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of The Gunnery School  
at Washington, Connecticut  
Nineteen hundred and thirty-five*



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### *Dedication*

We, the class of 1935, sincerely and gratefully dedicate this volume to Miss Rice, who, during her years at the School, has taken a deep interest in the welfare and comfort of every boy.

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MISS SUSY D. RICE







## *Foreword*

At this time the school wishes to express its appreciation for the valuable services and the cheerful friendship of Mr. and Mrs. Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, and its deepest regret at their departure.

# T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L

## *Acknowledgement*

The RED AND GRAY Board wishes to express its sincere appreciation for the kind and valued counsel and assistance which its friends have so generously contributed. To the school at large, the faculty, the alumni, the *Stray Shot* and the *Hand-Book*, and to a score of other school publications, we are most grateful for a helpful cooperation.



## *A Short History of Gunnery*

In 1850, after several years of teaching in Washington, New Preston, and Towanda, Pennsylvania, Frederic William Gunn, Yale '37, married Miss Brinsmade, and founded the Gunnery School on its present site. Since that time it has operated as a boarding school, to which until recently, have come as day pupils both the boys and girls of Washington. By the same record Gunnery is the oldest boarding school in Connecticut.

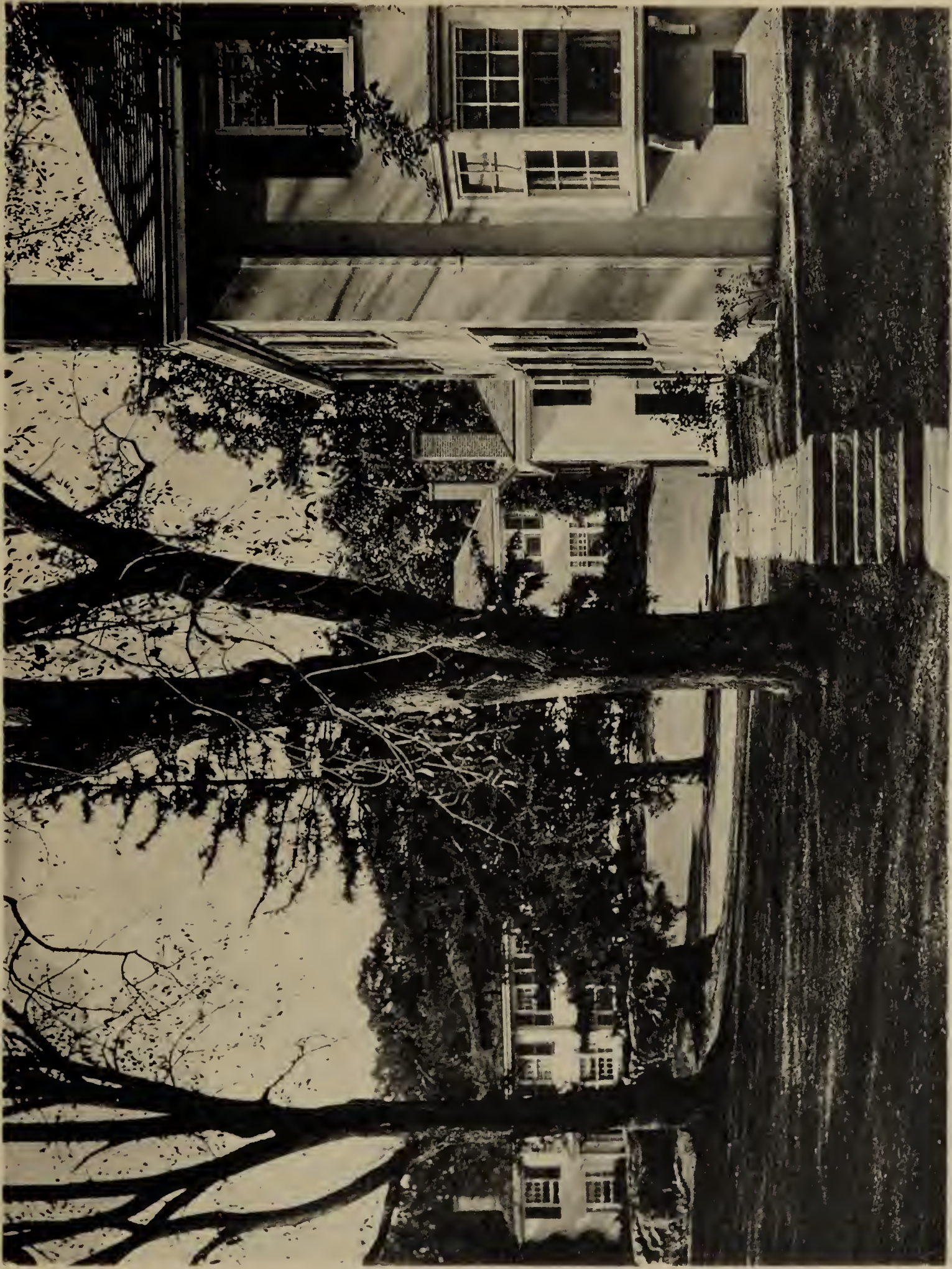
Under Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, the school rapidly became known for its strength of purpose in character building, for its honor system, for its insistence that a rugged body was as much to be desired as a rugged mind. The life was informal, very intimate, vigorous, and wholesomely brightened by fun and freedom from regulations. As a direct result of the rugged idealism of "Pater" Gunn, and the beautiful motherly influence of "Mater" Gunn, the school has become one of the most famous in New England. A beautiful tribute to the founders, and a true picture of the early years of Gunnery may be found in the memorial volume, "The Master of the Gunnery", published by the alumni after Mr. Gunn's death, August 16th, 1881.

In 1881, Mr. John Chapin Brinsmade, Harvard '74, who had married Miss Mary Gunn, took over the active management of the school and became its Headmaster. For the first thirty odd years of his administration Mr. Brinsmade carried forward the ideals of Mr. Gunn, gradually strengthened the scholastic side of the school to meet changing conditions and greatly enlarged the school equipment. Mr. Brinsmade was ably assisted by his brother, Mr. William Brinsmade, who in 1896, as Gunnery grew, founded the Ridge School, which though a separate institution and a private enterprise, was at its beginning in spirit and many other ways part of the parent school. Gunnery, reorganized by its alumni was incorporated in 1914. Prior to this time and following it, Bartlett dormitory was added, shortly was enlarged, and the Gymnasium and ball field built. For forty-one years Mr. and Mrs. Brinsmade had adopted and carried forward the purpose of its founders, and Gunnery though still privately owned, had continued an uninterrupted and increasing field of service, with no thought whatever of private gain.

In 1922 Mr. and Mrs. Brinsmade invited Hamilton Gibson and his wife, Brooke van Dyke Gibson, to come to Gunnery and to carry on. Alumni and friends gave their support to reorganize the school, and to place it on a permanent basis. Mr. Gibson, Harvard '06, is himself an alumnus, and the son of one of Mr. Gunn's pupils who was closely identified with Washington. Since the reorganization, each year has witnessed facilities made possible by outright gifts to the school. The definite intention of the school is to keep within the number of ninety boarding pupils with always a continuation of the old traditions of day pupils from Washington. The purpose of the school is to go forward with a rich heritage, in simplicity and in recognition of its obligation as a part of the community, and at the same time to meet modern conditions with effectiveness.

*Courtesy — THE GUNNERY HAND-BOOK*





CAMPUS FROM SCHOOLHOUSE





GIBSON





GIBSON IN WINTER





BARTLETT



INFIRMARY







GUNN



# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L

## *Faculty . .*







WILLIAM HAMILTON GIBSON

Gunnery and Ridge Schools, 1902;  
Harvard, A.B. 1906. Instructor in  
English at Berkshire School 1907-22;  
Headmaster at Gunnery, 1922.

OSGOOD PERRY

Kent School, 1908; Williams College, B.A. 1912; Instructor in Mathematics and Chemistry, and Coach at St. Andrew's School, Concord, Mass., 1913; Instructor in Mathematics and History, and Coach at Berkshire School, 1913-17, 1920-22; Instructor in Mathematics and Chemistry, and Coach at St. George's School, Newport, R. I.; Instructor in Mathematics and History, and Business Manager at Gunnery, 1922.



WARREN S. HOLMES

Dorchester High School, 1920; Harvard, A.B. 1924. Instructor in French and Spanish, and Director of Music at Gunnery, 1924.





DAVID S. M. LANIER

Curtis School, 1917-19; Asheville School, 1919-22; Gunnery School, 1922-24; Harvard, S.B. 1924-28. Instructor in English at Gunnery, 1928.

JAMES W. WILLIAMS

Hartford High School; Phillips Academy, Andover, 1904; Yale B.A. 1908. Instructor in History at Choate School, 1910-13; Trinity, M.A. 1915; Assistant in Biology at Yale, 1916; Staff of Yale-in-China, 1916-22; Instructor in Biology and English at Andover, 1922-25, Headmaster at Tamalpais School, 1925-30; Instructor in English, Latin, and Biology at Gunnery, 1930.



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## HENRY F. SEARS

Melrose High School, 1921; Harvard, A.B. 1925. Instructor in Latin and French at Belmont Hill School, 1925-27; Instructor in Latin and French at Chicago Latin School, 1927-29; Instructor in Latin and French at Gunnery, 1930.



## JOHN F. GODMAN

New Haven High School, 1926; Yale, Ph.B. 1930. Instructor in Mathematics and History, and Coach of Football and Baseball at Gunnery, 1931.





ROBERT S. BAIRD

Baltimore City College, 1926; Johns Hopkins, A.B. 1930. Instructor in Mathematics and French at Gunnery, 1931.

HARWOOD ELLIS

Country Day School, Newton, Mass. 1927; Harvard, S.B. 1931. Instructor in Algebra and Science, and Coach of Hockey and Tennis at Gunnery, 1931.





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## LORING L. EMERY

Douglas County High School, 1915; Harvard, S.B. Class of 1919. Instructor in Mathematics and Science at St. George's School, 1918-19; Instructor in Mathematics and German at Pomfret School, 1920-33; Instructor in Mathematics and Science at Gunnery, 1933.



## NEWTON K. CHASE

St. James School, 1922-25; Phillips Andover Academy, 1925-29; Bowdoin College, A.B. 1933. Instructor at Deane School, 1933-34. Instructor in Greek, Latin and History at Gunnery, 1934.

WILLIAM HAMILTON GIBSON, JR.

Gunnery, 1922-30; Harvard, Ex-1931; Business,  
1931-34; Instructor in English Grammar and As-  
sistant Gunnery Coach, 1934.



# T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L



## *Classes*

- • *Seniors*
- • *Juniors*
- • *Third Form*
- • *Second Form*
- • *First Form*





THE SCHOOL.





SENIORS





DANIEL DEWITT BROKAW

*"Dap" "Dan" "The Judge"*

5 Years in School

Business

1931-32: Football Squad.

1932-33: Football Squad; Student Council, Spring Term.

1933-34: Football Team; Assistant Manager of Hockey; Student Council, Fall and Spring Terms; *Stray Shot* Board; Vice-President of Class; Seabrook Poetry Prize; Guy Richards McLane Memorial Scholarship.

1934-35: Football Team; Manager Hockey; President Student Council, Fall, Winter, and Spring Terms; Grouping Committee; Editor of *Stray Shot*; *Red and Gray* Board; President of Class; Burton prize for literary appreciation.

As president of the class and school, "Dan" had many things to attend to, yet he never seemed to hurry. "Dapper" aptly describes this rather serious fellow, for never has he been seen in anything but the neatest clothes, whether taking care of the hockey rink, assailing an opponent in football, or getting the *Stray Shot* to press. In the latter job, "Dan" has done a splendid piece of work, being one of its chief contributors, besides being responsible for its publication. "The Judge's" position as a leader was recognized by the whole school, and under his guidance much was accomplished towards the success of the school year.





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DAVID HASKELL LANMAN, JR.

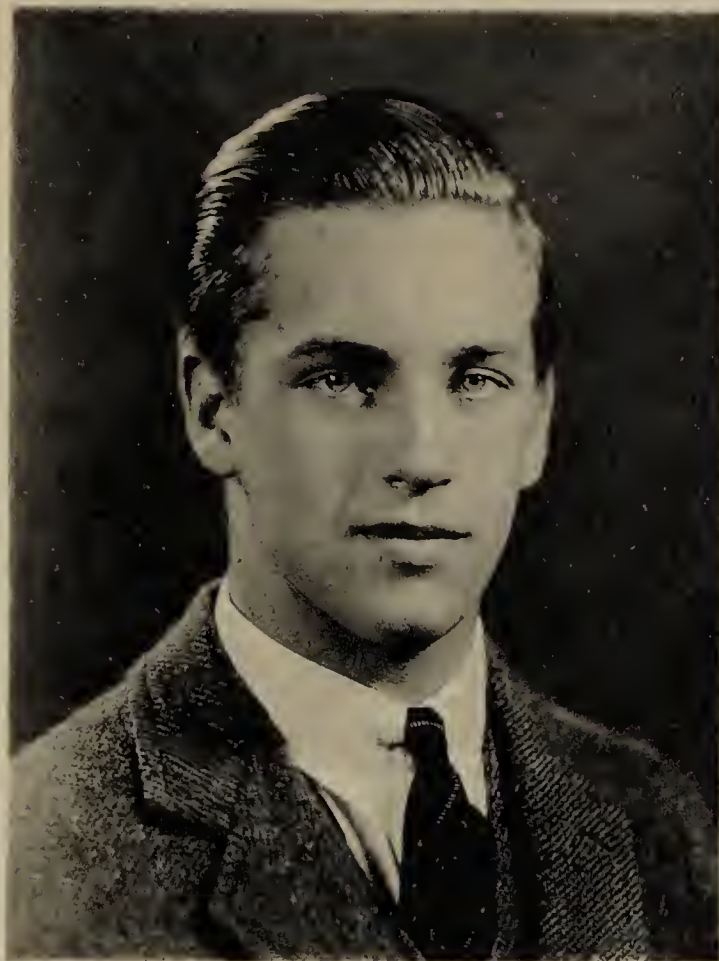
"Dave" "Cap"

4 Years in School Princeton

1932-33: Football Team; Basketball Squad; Baseball Team; Student Council, Winter Term.

1933-34: Football Team; Basketball Squad; Baseball Team; Secretary of Athletic Council; *Hand-Book* Board; Student Council, Fall and Spring Terms; Grouping Committee, Fall and Spring Terms; President of Class.

1934-35: Captain of Football Team; Basketball Team; Baseball Team; Student Council, Fall and Spring Terms; Secretary Student Council, Winter Term; Grouping Committee, Winter Term; Editor of *Hand-Book*.



"Dave" is thinking of spending the summer here in town, mainly, we think, because of the knitting fad which has struck Washington. But we may see from his accomplishments that knitting is only one of his interests, and the rest vary from being a hard blocking quarterback in football to a pitcher on the baseball team, and in between these two comes basketball.

Besides athletics, "Cap" has taken an active part in the leadership of the school, serving on the Council and as a class officer, besides publishing the *Hand-Book*, whose main use is to check the days until vacation. In these activities he showed the same energy that he uses in roughhousing with Francis on the corridor. "Dave" has definitely established himself in the class by his leadership, his friendliness, and his continued cheerfulness.





STEPHEN FRYE

*"Steve" "Fy-Fy"*

5 Years in School

University of Chicago  
Medicine

1931-32: Football Team.

1932-33: Football Squad.

1933-34: Football Team; Hockey Team;  
Student Council, Winter Term;  
Grouping Committee, Winter Term;  
Dance Committee; Decoration Com-  
mittee.

1934-35: Football Team; Hockey Team;  
Dance Committee; Decoration Com-  
mittee; Dramatic Association; Vice-  
President of Class.

"Steve" is one of the few who started in the lowly first form and has been here for five years. Three times a year he packs up and heads for his beloved Milwaukee, which to him resembles Paradise. No "bull session" would be complete without him, and his views are unchangeable, no matter whether they concern music, sports, or women. He has great knowledge on all subjects and those who are present in Mr. Emery's room at night listen in awe at the mighty stories he tells about incidents in Wisconsin. "Fy-Fy's" athletic activities consist of football and hockey, and in both he is noted for his slashing, spirited playing. Spring finds "Steve" off in the "bush," with no one to bother him as he catches up on his sleep. Long will he be remembered for his cheerful friendship to all.





# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L

## DAVID HAZLITT KING FLAGG

*"Dave" "Flaggie"*

4 Years in School      Princeton  
Business

1931-32: Glee Club.

1932-33: Glee Club; Dramatic Association; Highest Scholar in Third Form.

1933-34: Glee Club; Secretary-Treasurer of Dramatic Association, Dance Committee, Tennis Squad.

1934-35: President Glee Club, President Dramatic Association; Chairman Dance Committee; Tennis Team.



Coming from Philadelphia probably accounts for "Dave's" ability as a social leader. For many years he has had a part in managing the house parties, and has done a splendid job as Chairman of the Dance Committee. In this capacity "Flaggie" seems to have a way with the fair sex, and although he admits nothing, many strange tales of his adventures in Philadelphia are heard.

Included in "Dave's" interests are singing — where his fine baritone voice has helped the glee club immensely in recent years, — second team football, and varsity tennis. Kidding is his favorite indoor sport, and Flammer and Frye will testify to his knack in this. "Dave" will go far in life if he tackles business with the same persistence that he has shown in his life here at school.



JOHN WILLIAMS SANFORD

*"Sandy" "Johnny"*

4 Years in School

Art

1932-33: Hockey Squad.

1933-34: Hockey Team; *Stray Shot* Board; Decorating Committee.

1934-35: Football Team; Hockey Team; *Stray Shot* Board; Decorating Committee.

"Sandy's" chief interest lies in art; it is more than an interest with him, since he is particularly talented along that line, especially in sketching all kinds and varieties of boats. In spite of his quiet, unobtrusive nature, "Johnny" has made his presence felt both as an athlete and as a level-headed member of our group. Besides being class artist, "Johnny" seems to have semi-elusive social connections in Washington, and occasionally is known to say something or even to answer a question in history class.





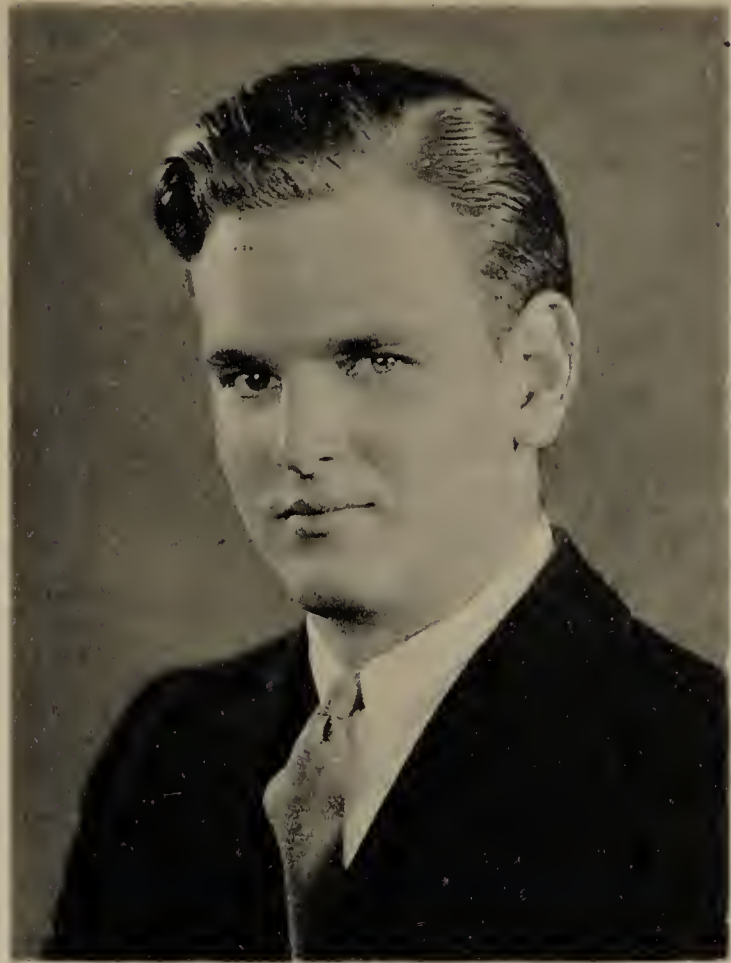
BILLINGS RUDDOCK

*"Bill"*

3 Years in School      Undecided

1933-34: Glee Club; Dance and Decorating Committee.

1934-35: Manager of Basketball; Secretary and Treasurer of Glee Club; Dance and Decorating Committee.



"Bill's" chief pass-time is sleep. His daily hours spent in peaceful slumber have almost led to his being called "24 hour Ruddock." When he is out of his bed, however, "Bill" is very wide-awake—in fact he is quite full of energy and is ready to supply witty remarks on the slightest provocation. This handsome and gay member of our group hails from California and has brought with him besides sunshine, one of the best voices in the Glee Club, a complete and ducky outfit of unusual ties and suits which he seldom wears.





SAMUEL JACKSON UNDERHILL  
*"Sam" "Undie"*

2 Years in School                      Yale  
 Business

1933-34: Football Squad; Glee Club;  
 Dramatic Association.

1934-35: Football Team; Glee Club;  
 Dramatic Association; Business  
 Manager *Red and Gray*.

The wary knock loud on "Undie's" door before entering. It is safest, for one might surprise this rugged man standing on his hand and cause him to fall onto his face or into yours. "Sam" combines with his great chest from which rumble the most surprising basso sounds a quick and efficient mind; the latter has been demonstrated by his splendid work as business manager of the *Red and Gray*. "Sam" never seems to forget anything, and can tell you anything about everything from a super-Packard's mirrors to—oh well! But he doesn't stop at just knowing the facts—he experiments, too, and were ever a model T Ford parked near Gibson we are sure that in a jiffy he would have it all apart.



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JOHN DAVOL

*"Johnny"*

5 Years in School

Yale

Law

1933-34: Dramatic Association.

1934-35: Dramatic Association; Captain  
Second Team Football; Basketball  
Squad.



"Johnny." our fair-complexioned lad from Stamford with the curly hair is a lover of argument. He follows in this respect somewhat in his brother Reck's footsteps, and is quite generally all wet. We suspect, however, that perhaps he is only trying to get our goat, because in spite of his innocent school girl looks and quiet manner, he knows what the world is all about and has a level-headed philosophy of life. For that reason we bet that as soon as he gets home he will trade in that pea-green Plymouth for a Ford—don't we, Underhill?





BORIS IVANOVITCH  
GOROKHOFF

*"Borees"*

2 Years at School Undecided

1933-34: *Stray Shot* Board; Librarian  
Glee Club; Dramatic Association;  
Latin Prize; Highest Scholar in  
Fourth Form.

1934-35: *Stray Shot* Board; *Red and  
Gray* Board; Glee Club; Dramatic  
Association; Entertainment Com-  
mittee; Seabrook Prose Prize; Bolles  
Prize for Best Original Composition  
in French; Latin Prize; Highest  
Scholar in Fifth Form.

"Borees", someone calls and the invariable answer will be "Yah!" Boris is our most prolific literary member, and without his contributions *Judge* and the *Stray Shot* would have been greatly handicapped. Boris never says much but he knows plenty and is such a quick and efficient gent that he does all his homework in five minutes and then manages to be the highest scholar in the class. We are justly proud of our Russian descended Boris—ya, we are!





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## WILLIAM STODDARD

*"Chief" "Bill"*

6 Years in School

Williams

Business

1933-34: Football Squad; Basketball Squad.

1934-35: Football Squad; Basketball Team; Baseball Team.



The "Chief's" idea of fun is to scare some fellow to death with thrilling stories of fires, escapades, and dare-devil auto races he has seen either in his native Woodbridge, (Conn.) or in various parts of the country. He also delights in watching pro wrestling, and is a great fan of the chief contenders in the "grunt and groan game."

"Bill's" six years at school have been spent taking part in various sports and in seeing how much punishment his dormitory could stand. And although a great "kidder", especially of Mr. Emory, he has made many friends by his cheerful and generous disposition and we are all sure he will continue to do this at Williams.



GRENVILLE CHAPIN BRAMAN

*"Grendy"*

5 Years in School

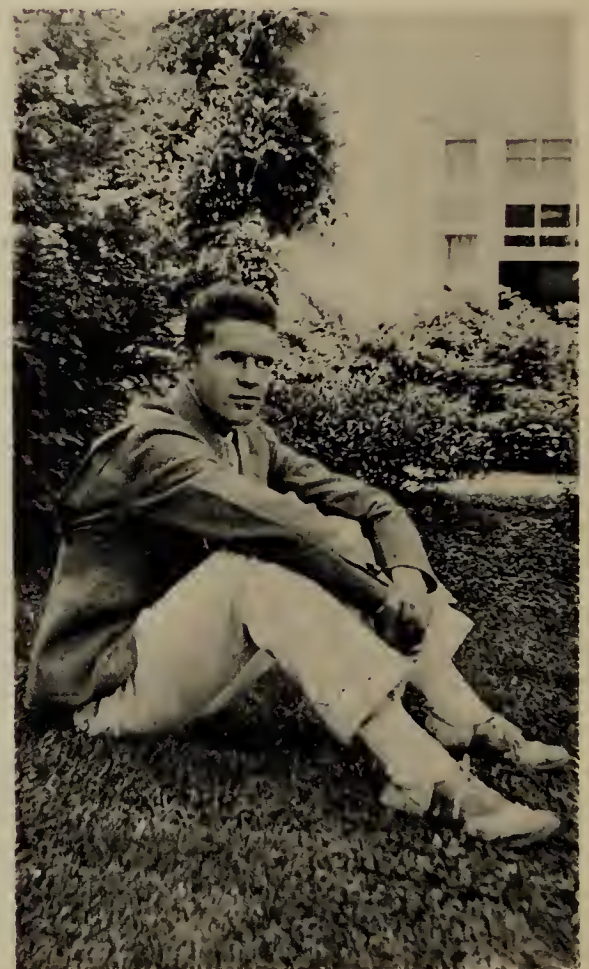
Harvard

1933-34: Baseball Team.

1934-35: Football Team; Basketball Team; Baseball Team.

"Did you see that smooth car?" This from Grendy is a statement of worth, for his knowledge of cars is nearly unsurpassed. "Gren's" five years as a day-boy have been spent between testing the strength of the school-house and playing on the various teams.

"Gren" professes to be a woman-hater, but we cannot help wondering about those letters he gets from here, there, and everywhere. Always very neatly dressed, "Gren" is seen a great deal about school, especially in his capacity as an agent of Uncle Sam's mail.





THEODORE SNOW

*"Ted"*

5 Years in School                      M. I. T.

Aeronautical Engineering

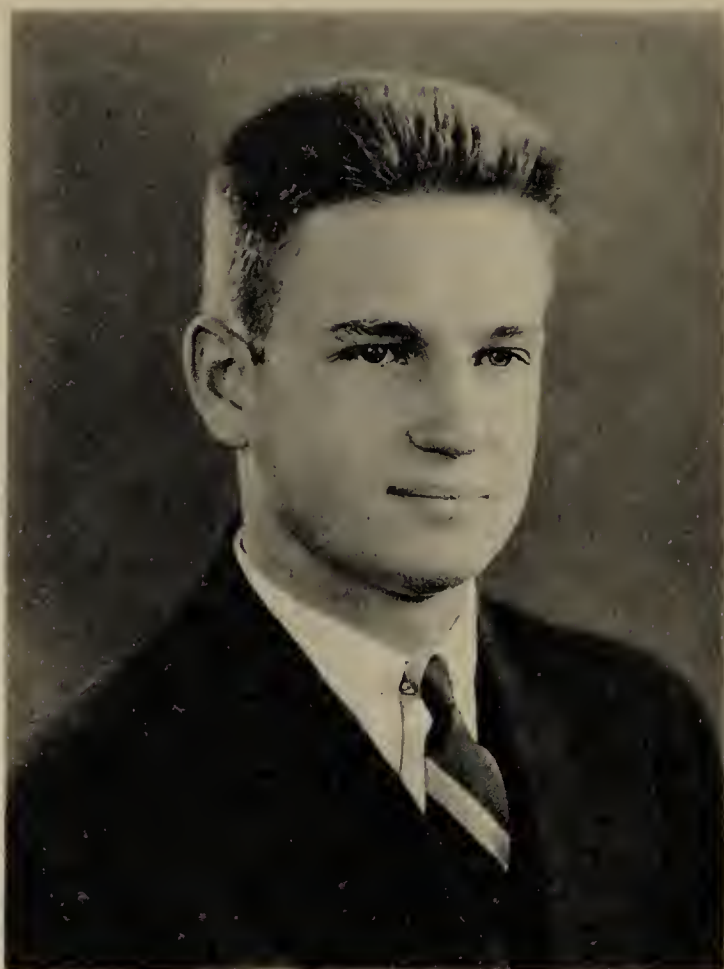
1932-33: Hockey Squad.

1933-34: Hockey Squad.

1934-35: Manager Football; Hockey  
Team; Tennis Squad; *Stray Shot*  
Board.



This lanky, hard-working day boy has been with us five years, and though not particularly outstanding in any one thing, he is known as one of Gunnery's most efficient football managers and one of the hardest studying boys in school. "Ted" seems to take life quite easily, but let a Math or Physics course rear its head and Snow is off to conquer it. He is seldom seen at school outside of classes, for such things as make-up and study hall are not for him, but one may often be able to view him speeding down the road in his car, heading—who knows where? "Ted" works hard in hockey and tennis, as well as devoting himself to writing articles for the *Stray Shot*. We wish him luck during and after the difficult course he is taking in college.



CLARENCE EDWARDS CASE, JR.

*"Chester" "Eddie" "Casey"*

4 Years in School      Princeton  
Law

1931-32: Glee Club.

1932-33: Glee Club; Football Squad.

1933-34: Football Team; Basketball Squad; Business Manager of *Stray Shot*.

1934-35: Football Team; Basketball Team; Glee Club.

Few Bull sessions were complete without "Chester's" opinion on the matter, and in this connection we see a great future for him in law. Added to this ability we have a great regard for "Casey" as a center in football, and woe be it to the team which could not escape his charge through the center of the line. Once football is over, "Ed" devotes himself to basketball and golf, when he is not concentrating in his room over Latin or Physics. Although a hard worker, he manages to find time to be a very strong supporter of the Glee Club, and we might add that his singing is not confined to this organization, but flourishes as well in the shower room. Here's to "Eddie," and may he flatten his opponents in years to come.





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HAROLD FLAMMER, JR.

*"Duke" "Flammer"*

3 Years in School      Princeton  
Music

1933-34: Football Squad.

1934-35: Football Team; Basketball  
Squad.



Harold is our big strapping lad from Bronxville. Just mention his "little home town" to him and immediately the air is filled with praises of its beauty, its lovely southern climate, and above all else, its women. Although the "Duke" is occasionally a bit slow about things, he always manages to get there, and does his job with a thoroughness many of us envy. "Flam" did an excellent job as tackle in football, and we will always remember him for his cheerfulness, especially when being "taken for a ride" by the notorious occupants of room 31.



GEORGE JOHN FRANCIS, JR.

*"Pete" "Snoop"*

2 Years in School          Princeton  
Mining Engineer.

1933-34: Basketball Squad; Baseball Squad.

1934-35: Football Team; Dance Committee.

"Pete" came to us from Taft with a splendid recommendation as a football player. He justified this the following year with his powerful running and even harder tackling. He was one of the main cogs in a smooth backfield, and despite his injury, carried on brilliantly.

John also was a member of the Dance Committee, and helped to make the dances a success. Although a bit blind, "Snoop" manages to read those lovely letters he gets continually, but when it comes to Spanish, no, his eyes are notably weak. Rather a quiet lad, but we know that he gets around. When he swears he is going into seclusion in the Adirondacks this summer, we all feel sure that there is more to this than meets the eye. What about it, Pete?





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HARRY WILLARD SEELEY, JR.

"Harry" "Bud"

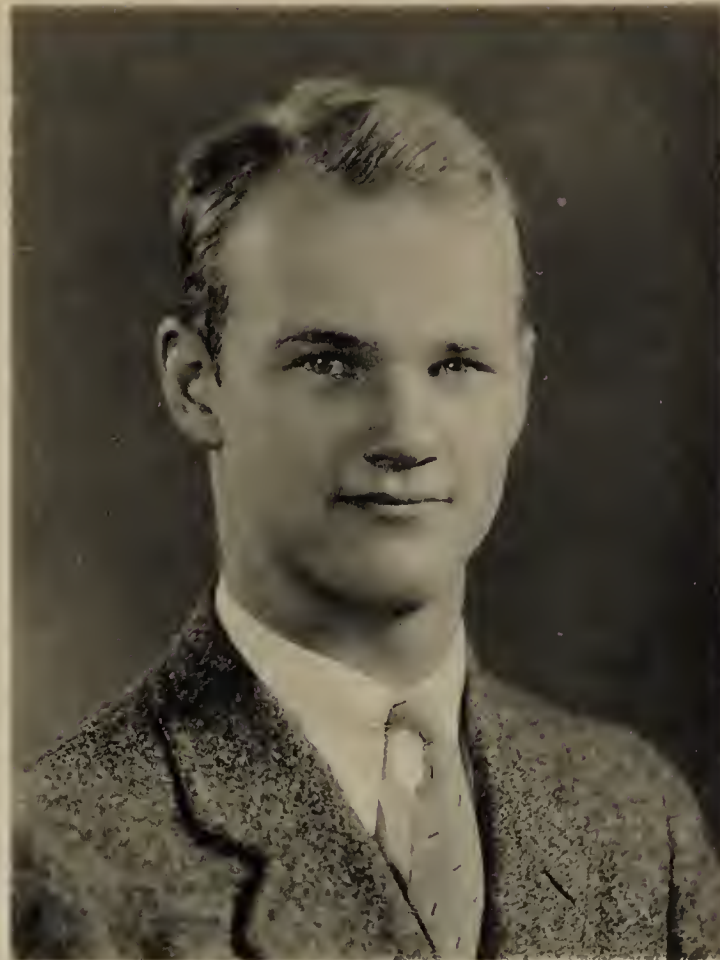
5 Years at School Amherst

1931-32: Football Squad.

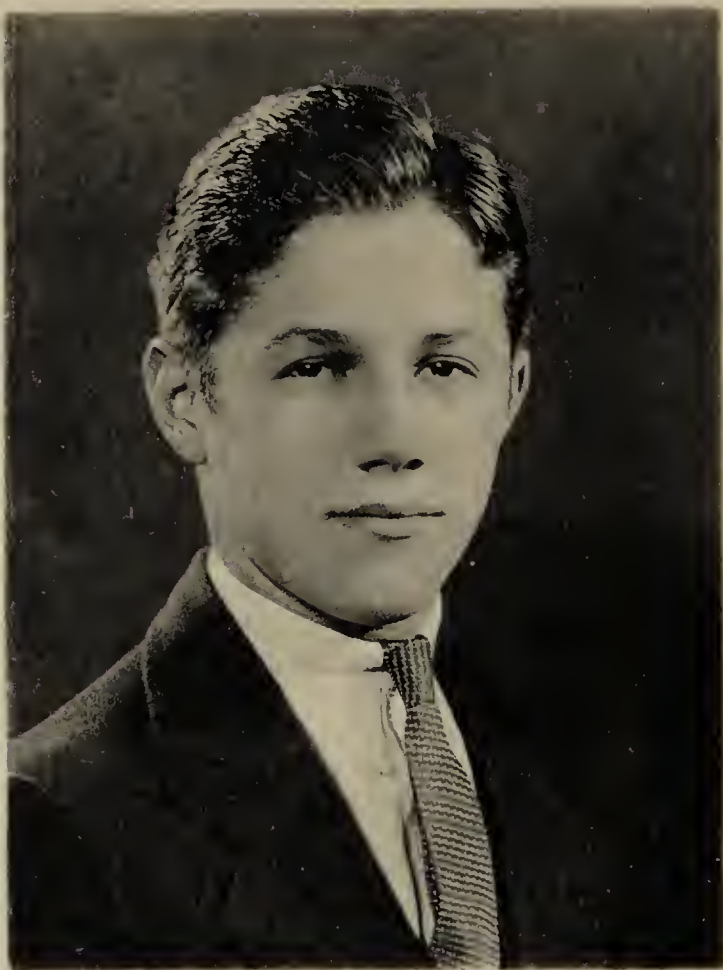
1932-33: Football Team; Basketball Squad; Baseball Team.

1933-34: Football Team; Basketball Team; Baseball Team; Student Council, Winter Term; Glee Club; *Red and Gray* Board; Secretary of Class.

1934-35: Football Team; Captain Basketball Team; Baseball Team; Student Council, Fall, Winter, and Spring Terms; Grouping Committee, Fall and Spring Terms; Glee Club; Editor *Red and Gray*; Athletic Council; Secretary of Class; Brinsmade Prize; Gunnery Cup.



"Harry" has the very admirable quality of never being upset about anything, this in spite of the fact that he just pulled out five of the last eight hairs from his head worrying about the *Red and Gray*, for which he is chiefly responsible. "Harry" is very congenial, and, although a day-boy, is usually present at the best bull sessions in room 31. "Bud" derives great pleasure riding us poor fellows who never have them about our associations with entirely non-existent "queens," that *exist* in the fantastic realm of "Harry's" mind. And when we accuse him of female stratagems, how innocent he pretends to be, but we know that his frequent trips up to Wellesley are not without significance. Of course, we all like "Harry" and can overlook his weakness, the which we all share in common, but don't tell "Harry"! As "Sec'y" of the class, "Harry" often manages to make a dime look like a dollar, and as an athlete there are few that can match him.



FREDERICK MOTTET BURR

*"Fred" "Monk" "Coon"*

5 Years in School Yale

1931-32: Tennis Team; Bolles Tennis Trophy.

1932-33: Football Squad; Hockey Team; Tennis Team.

1933-34: Football Team; Captain of Tennis Team; Baseball Team.

1934-35: Football Team; Captain of Hockey Team; Captain of Baseball Team; Athletic Council; Athletic Cup.

Late at night one may observe "Fred" "pursuing his homeward way" after an evening at—the green. This care-free lad takes everything with a smile, and seldom lets anything bother him. Most of his time at school is devoted to athletics (unless he is in Math makeup) and has had the distinction of playing in every varsity sport in school, being captain of hockey and baseball, and being either winner or runner-up in the tennis tournament for three years. The spring of his senior year marks a great change in "Monk." For years a stern woman-hater, he has at last succumbed, and now every morning sees him with a fresh shoe-shine and a knife-edge crease in his pants. This change has not affected "Coon's" happy disposition, and the school will miss this all-around "good gent."





# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L

## *Our Favorites . .*

COURSE—English 5, Soup 4, Math 4, Dessert 3, Physics 2.

SPORT—Football 6, Chess 4, Fishing 3, Basketball 1, Battle Dore and Shuttle Cock 1, Hockey 1, Swimming 1.

AMUSEMENT—Bull Sessions 5, Women 3, Loafing 3, Dancing 3, Walking in the Moonlight 1, Jazz 1, Reading 1, Post Office 1.

GIRL'S SCHOOL OR COLLEGE—Harvard 5, St. Margarets 3, Westover 2, Wykeham 2, Rollins 2, Farmington 1, Vassar 1, Wellesley 1, Romford 1.

CIGARETTE—Camel 6, Chesterfield 6, Cornsilk 3, None 1, Liberty Plug 1, Philip Morris 1.

SCREEN ACTRESS—Ginger Rogers 5, Claudette Colbert 3, Katherine Hepburn 2, Zazu Pitts 2, Mae West 2, Elissa Landi 1, Edna Mae Oliver 1, Loretta Young 1, Shirley Temple 1.

TYPE OF GIRL—Innocent 7, None 3, Pretty and Dumb 3, Doesn't Mind 1, Intelligent 1, Good 1, Short and Sweet 1, Serious 1.

FAVORITE DRINK—Bromo Seltzer 5, Beer 3, Seagrams 3, Corn Likker 2, New Jersey Waltz 1, Buttermilk 1, Iced Tea 1.

ORCHESTRA—Ray Noble 8, Casa Loma 3, Benny Goodman 2, Bill Pickett 2, Dorsey 1, Romford Riveters ? !

MEN'S COLLEGE—Yale 4, Princeton 3, Slippery Rock Teachers 2, Grinell 1, Harvard 1, Colgate 1, Amherst 1, Williams 1, Rollins 2.

TOPIC OF CONVERSATION—Women 8, Athletics 3, Scandal (?) 3, Sex 1, Baseball 1, Weather 1.

POLITICAL PARTY—Republicans 8, Communist 3, Anarchist 2, Democratic 1, Socialist 1, Faculty 1.

CLASS—Seniors 15, First Form 1.

## *Senior Directory*

GRENVILLE CHAPIN BRAMAN.....	Washington, Connecticut
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JOHN DAVOL.....	P. O. Box 648, Stamford, Connecticut
DAVID HAZLITT KING FLAGG.....	Denbigh, Radnor, Pennsylvania
HAROLD FLAMMER, JR.....	Hampshire Road, Bronxville, New York
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STEPHEN FRYE.....	2655 North Lake Drive, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
BORIS IVANOVITCH GOROKHOFF....	24 Ward Ave., Northhampton, Massachusetts
DAVID HASKELL LANMAN, JR.....	161 Henry Street, Brooklyn, New York
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JOHN WILLIAMS SANFORD, JR.....	Goldens Bridge, New York
HENRY WILLARD SEELEY, JR.....	Washington, Connecticut
THEODORE SNOW.....	Washington, Connecticut
WILLIAM STODDARD.....	Center Street, Woodbridge, Connecticut
SAMUEL JACKSON UNDERHILL.....	Jericho, Long Island, New York



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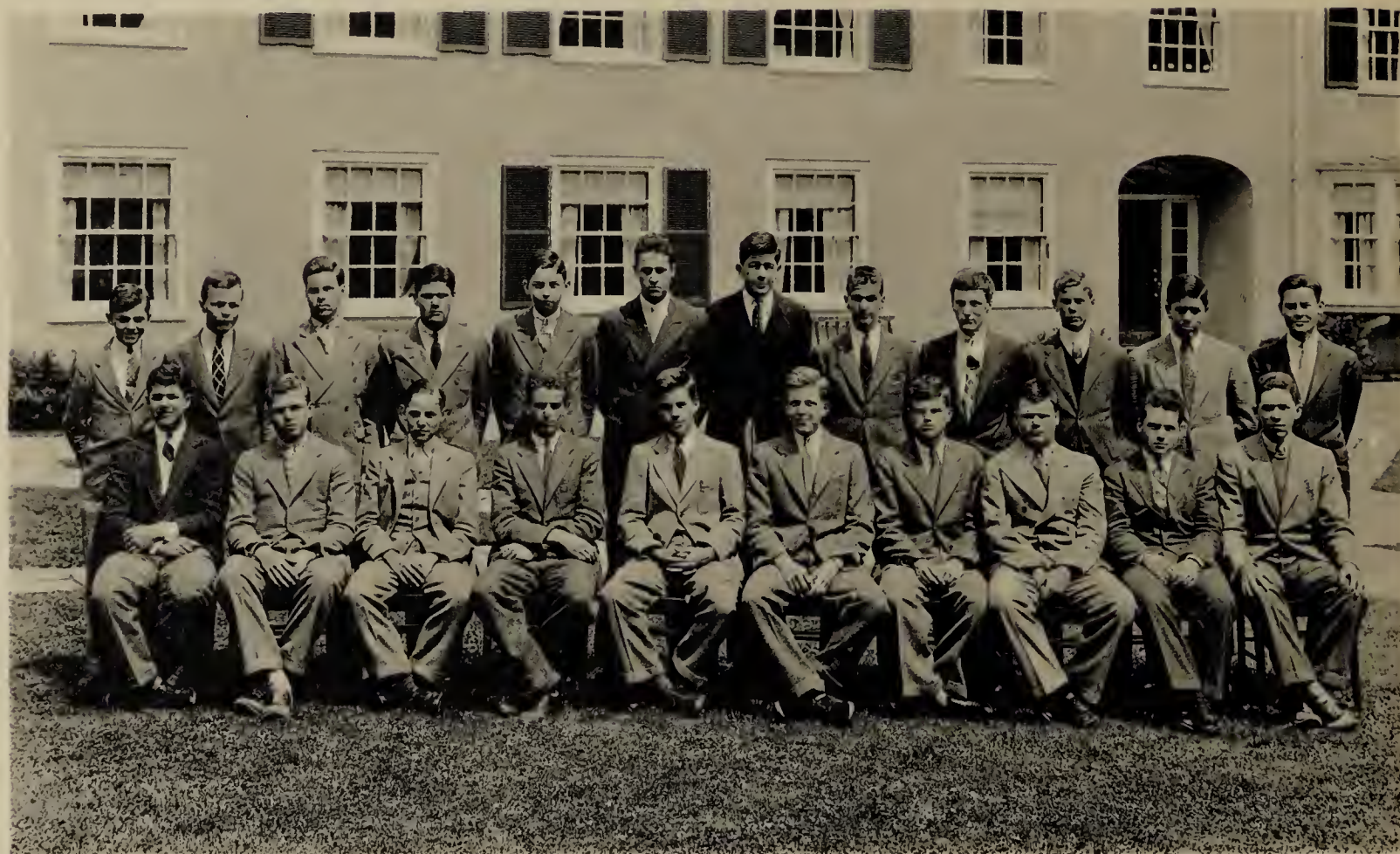
## *Juniors . .*



WILLIAM LEEDS BURCHARD.....Fall River, Massachusetts  
 WILLIAM CURTIS CARROL.....Rye, New York  
 CHARLES DEAN DAVOL, JR.....Fall River, Massachusetts  
 LINTEN DUTCHER.....Scarsdale, New York  
 CHARLES ROBERT FOX, JR.....La Porte, Indiana  
 EDWARD BROOKE GIBSON.....Washington, Connecticut  
 DAVID PAYNE HOUSH.....Washington, Connecticut  
 DAVID FITZ RANDOLPH HOWE.....New York City  
 VICTOR EMANUEL LEON.....Washington, Connecticut  
 WILLIAM CARTER LOWE.....Mt. Kisco, New York  
 WILLIAM WHITNEY MALLORY.....Rye, New York  
 JOHN PHELPS MILLER.....Watertown, New York  
 WILLIAM SANFORD MILLER.....Ardsley-on-Hudson, New York  
 CHARLES MCKEW PARR.....Brooklyn, New York  
 JOHN GRANT RAFTER.....Washington, D. C.  
 ALBERT RICHARDSON.....Closter, New Jersey  
 JOHN HUBERT RYAN.....Upper Montclair, New Jersey  
 SAMUEL SEABURY TOMKINS.....Washington, Connecticut  
 NORMAN CONWELL UPDEGRAFF.....Scarsdale, New York



*Third Form . .*



ROBERTS WYCKOFF BROKAW.....Newark, New Jersey  
 WILLIAM POTTER BUFFUM.....Providence, Rhode Island  
 FRANK TALIAFERRO CLELAND.....White Plains, New York  
 DAVID DURFEE.....Fall River, Massachusetts  
 CORNELIUS GOLD DUTCHER.....Upper Montclair, New Jersey  
 BENJAMIN BRUCE EDMONDS.....Brookline, Massachusetts  
 CHARLES MILLER FLAMMER.....Bronxville, New York  
 KENYON WATROUS GREENE.....Washington, Connecticut  
 ROBERT HUMPHREY GRIGGS.....Bridgeport, Connecticut  
 HOLLIS HAMMOND .....Wellesley, Massachusetts  
 RICHARD CORT HOLDEN.....New York City  
 DAVID BRINSMADE JACKSON.....Washington, Connecticut  
 SHELDON JACKSON.....Greenwich, Connecticut  
 EDWARD ALLEN MASON.....Elmira, New York  
 CLIFFORD OFF, JR.....Winnetka, Illinois  
 DAVID ALLEN PARK.....New York City  
 ALEXANDER SHIPMAN PARR.....Brooklyn, New York  
 JAMES GRAHAM PATERSON.....Orange, New Jersey  
 WINSTON W. EVERT PETERSON.....Washington, Connecticut  
 ANDREW SHILAND, 5TH.....New York City  
 JAMES PARKER SMITH, JR.....Springfield, Massachusetts  
 CHARLES MAY SWIFT.....Syosset, Long Island, New York



# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L

## *First and Second Forms . .*



GEORGE LOUIS BRENNER.....	Staten Island, New York
ROBERT VERNIER BRUNDAGE.....	Washington, Connecticut
ROBERT MCLEOD BRUSH.....	Germantown, New York
BARRY DOWNES BURR.....	Washington, Connecticut
ENO PALMER CAMPELL.....	Bernardsville, New Jersey
DAVID CARTER CLARKE.....	Plainfield, New Jersey
BRUCE LLOYD CRARY.....	Westport, New York
JAMES HOWELL CRARY, JR.....	Westport, New York
OTIS WEBB DAVEY.....	West Orange, New Jersey
SHERWOOD ROBERT GREENWELL.....	Honolulu, H. T.
EGBERT STARR HADLEY.....	Westport, Connecticut
LOWELL KING.....	New Canaan, Connecticut
STEPHAN BEMIS MARBLE.....	Greenwich, Connecticut
EDWARD CLERKE PAGE.....	Medfield, Massachusetts
REGINALD WHEELER PAGE.....	Medfield, Massachusetts
ROY LEONARD PETERSON, JR.....	Washington, Connecticut
RUSSEL LOWELL RICHARDS.....	Honolulu, H. T.
CHARLES N. ROBERTSON, 3RD.....	New Milford, Connecticut
ROBERT LESSING ROSENWALD.....	Abington, Pennsylvania
FRANK GIFFORD TALLMAN, 3RD.....	Orange, New Jersey
WILLIAM BARCLAY TERHUNE, JR.....	New Canaan, Connecticut
JAMES BYRNE WETTLAUFFER.....	South Orange, New Jersey
RAYE PALMER WOODIN, JR.....	Flushing, Long Island, New York

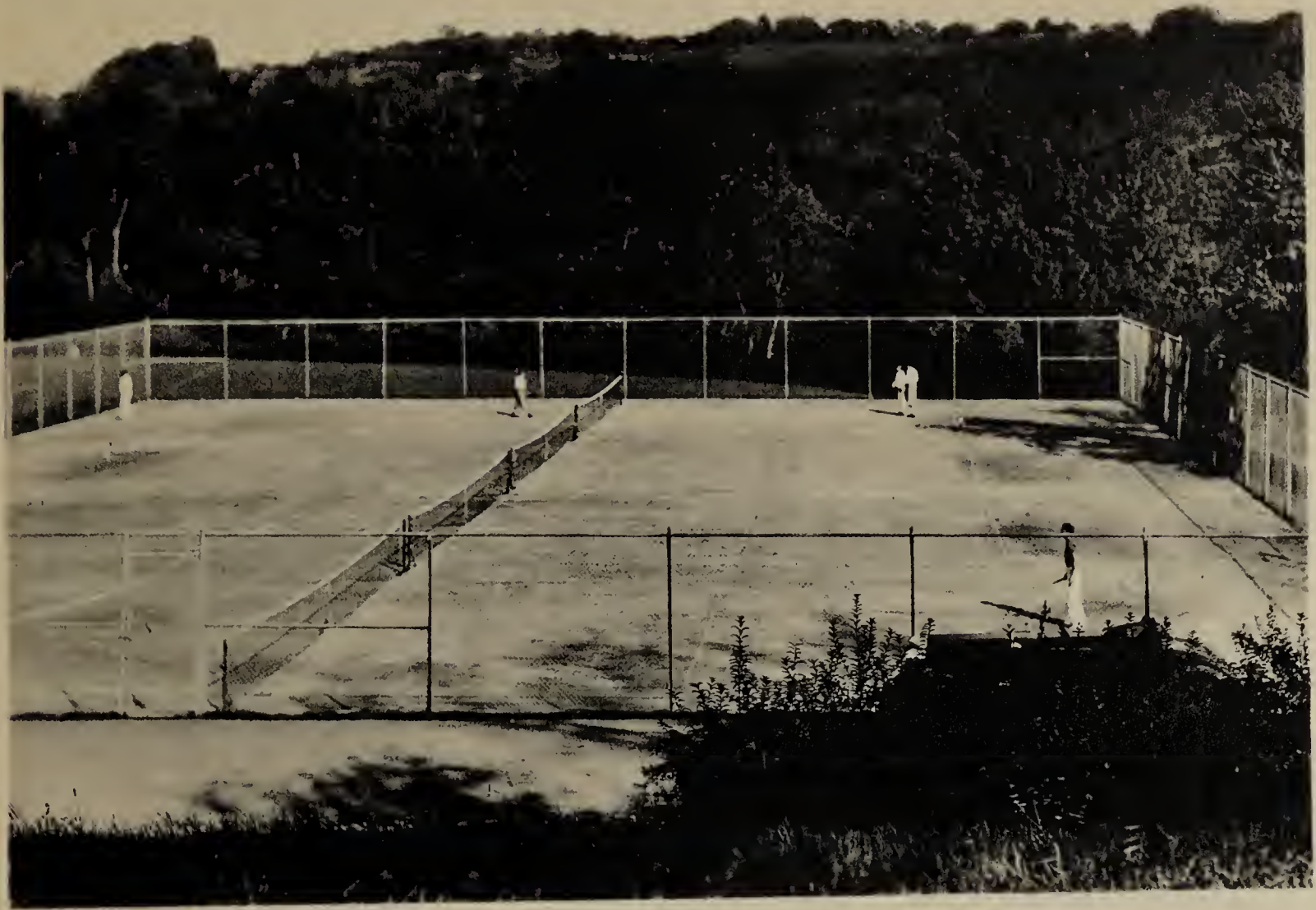




THE INFIRMARY



# T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L



## *Athletics*

- . . *Football*
- . . *Basketball*
- . . *Hockey*
- . . *Baseball*
- . . *Tennis*

*Football . .*



MR. GODMAN  
*Coach*



LANMAN .

*Captain — Quarterback*

“Dave’s” speed and ability to run low and hard made him an exceptional prep-school back. As captain and quarterback, he ran his team with precision and an understanding of the strategy of the game, that contributed very materially to the team’s success.



SNOW  
*Manager*



# T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L



Oct. 13   Gunnery, 33..... 0, Hackley  
 Oct. 20   Gunnery, 32..... 7, Canterbury  
 Oct. 27   Gunnery, 33..... 0, Wooster  
 Nov. 3   Gunnery, 38..... 6, Storm King  
 Nov. 10   Gunnery, 3..... 0, Salisbury  
 Nov. 17   Gunnery, 14.....14, South Kent





RICHARDSON

*Guard*

In his second season at the running guard position, "Doc" displayed a brand of rugged, aggressive blocking in the interference, and hard, low tackling on the defense that made him the team's outstanding lineman and the unanimous choice for captain for next year.



BRAMAN

*Halfback*

"Grendie" was handicapped this year by a knee injury and had little real opportunity to demonstrate the ability he gives promise of.



BROKAW

*Guard*

"Dan" played a consistently hard, steady game. By the end of the season he had probably the best offensive charge in the line.





# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L



BURR

*Halfback*

"Fred" was outstanding in the accumulation of yardage both in plays from scrimmage and in the running back of punts in the open field. He was an accurate passer and an exceedingly clever and shifty ball-carrier.



CASE

*Center*

"Eddie's" consistently accurate passes from center were an important factor in the smooth functioning of the backfield. He was an aggressive, scrappy lineman, and repeatedly broke through for tackles behind the line of scrimmage.



C. DAVOL

*Tackle*

"Charlie's" first season with the team marked him as a lineman of considerable promise. He amply made up for his inexperience by a vigorous, aggressive brand of line play. He should develop in the coming season into an excellent all-around tackle.







H. FLAMMER

*Tackle*

"Harold" was a hard-charging lineman who developed rapidly throughout the season. Although his play was rarely brilliant, he was a reliable blocker and covered his defense assignments well.



FOX

*Fullback*

"Bob" was new to the first team this year, but he developed rapidly into a capable line plunger and an aggressive tackler on the defense.



FRANCIS

*Fullback*

"Pete" was probably one of the hardest running ball-carriers and blockers in this section of the state. He combined unusual power and drive in his line plunges with clever footwork in the open field, to make himself one of the team's most effective threats.





# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L



FRYE

*Halfback*

"Steve" was a speedy, powerful back with the unusual ability of running most effectively to the left. This fact, combined with his excellent blocking made him an extraordinary tackler. His defensive work in backing up the line, particularly against South Kent, was nothing short of spectacular.



HOWE

*Halfback*

Converted into a back after "Francis's" injury, "Randy" quickly mastered his new assignment. He was very fast in the straight-away and became an effective threat on end sweeps and short forward passes. This years experience should make him a valuable back for the coming season.



LEONI

*Halfback*

Hampered slightly by his lightness, "Vic" was nevertheless a clever ball-carrier and unusually skillful in diagnosing and breaking up our opponents' passing attack.







SANFORD

*End*

"John" was somewhat hampered in his work by a lack of aggressiveness. Offensively his blocking assignments out creditable and he performed ably in his down-field work under punts and passes.



SEELEY

*End*

"Bud's" height, speed and ability to handle passes made him the key man in the forward passing attack. Despite the defense tactics of our opponents in often putting two men on him, he was usually in the clear and rarely missed one. Brilliant on defense, he was one of the finest ends that has ever played for Gunnery.





# T H E G U N N E R Y S C H O O L



SMITH

*Quarterback*

"Jim's" first season with the team was largely in the capacity of understudy to Lanman, at which position he proved himself a dependable substitute and of considerable promise for next year.



UNDERHILL

*End*

"Sam" was converted into an end at mid-season. Unusually fast in a straight-away, he quickly mastered the new position and for the remainder of the season performed ably. He excelled chiefly in his downfield work under passes and punts.





## *Review of Varsity Football*

The pre-season squad of some thirty candidates presented the picture of an unusually strong back-field combination in Captain Lanman, Burr, Frye, Francis and Leon, two experienced, capable ends in Seeley and Howe, and an extremely light inexperienced line—a situation that naturally resulted in exceptional offensive strength and pronounced weakness on the defense.

The season opened brilliantly with the 33 - 0 defeat of Hackley, where the passing combination of Burr to Seeley, and the plunging of Lanman and Frye were the chief contributions to the one-sided victory.

The convincing 32 - 7 defeat of a strong Canterbury team on the following Saturday revealed a more perfected, smooth offense, and was marked by Burr's sensational sixty-yard run for a touchdown in the first play of the game and by Howe's brilliant work at his new position in the backfield.

In the next three games the running and passing attack clicked beautifully to register decisive victories over Wooster, Storm King, and Salisbury and to accumulate 102 points for Gunnery to 6 points for its opponents.

Gunnery approached the final game with South Kent with considerable confidence in the scoring power that had amassed 167 points in five games, yet, not overconfident, not unmindful of the excellent record of a strong, heavy South Kent team which included a two hundred pound half-back known throughout the state for his scoring ability.

Gunnery was materially handicapped at the very outset of the game by an extremely muddy, slippery field, which necessitated the use of long, unfamiliar mud-cleats. None-the-less the first period opened with considerable promise when on the first play of the game, a lateral to Case after a forward pass gained forty yards. A determined march then followed deep into South Kent territory where the ball was lost after three passes were grounded. The second period found Gunnery again threatening but once more failed to penetrate the South Kent forward wall within the five yard line and the half ended 0 - 0.

In the second half South Kent vigorously took the offensive and after two long gains, McCoun broke loose to score after a forty-five yard run from scrimmage. Gunnery then received and with a series of line plays advanced the ball to South Kent's twenty-five yard line where Francis scored on a fake pass to tie the score at seven all. At the close of the third quarter South Kent was again in scoring position with a first down on Gunnery's four yard line. Three line plays advanced the ball two yards. Turner then scored on a quick pass into Gunnery's uncovered flat.

Trailing by seven points, Gunnery divided the ball carrying between Frye, Lanman, and Burr, and aided by Lanman's excellent kicking advanced the ball to the four yard line where Burr went over for the touchdown. Burr then converted on an off-tackle play to bring the score to 14 - 14. The whistle ended the game shortly after, before either side had had an opportunity to break the deadlock.

It would be extremely difficult to accurately distribute the praise for Gunnery's undefeated team. This may have been one of the factors in the team's success. The results were reducible, by and large, not to any individual, but to the team-play of the entire group.

—JOHN GODMAN



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SECOND SQUAD



THIRD SQUAD



*Basketball . .*



HARRY SEELEY ..... *Captain*  
MR. CARRINGTON ..... *Coach*  
BILLINGS RUDDOCK ..... *Manager*

Jan. 15	Gunnery, 27.....28,	Berkshire
Jan. 19	Gunnery, 8.....39,	Hackley
Jan. 26	Gunnery, 42.....44,	Pawling
Jan. 30	Gunnery, 26.....36,	Kent
Feb. 6	Gunnery, 16.....44,	Taft
Feb. 13	Gunnery, 27.....36,	Berkshire
Feb. 16	Gunnery, 31.....19,	Canterbury
Feb. 23	Gunnery, 19.....18,	Kent
Feb. 27	Gunnery, 18.....48,	Pawling
Mar. 2	Gunnery, 19.....50,	Roxbury
Mar. 6	Gunnery, 26.....23,	Canterbury



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## *Hockey . .*



FREDERIC BURR ..... *Captain*

MR. ELLIS ..... *Coach*

DANIEL BROKAW ..... *Manager*

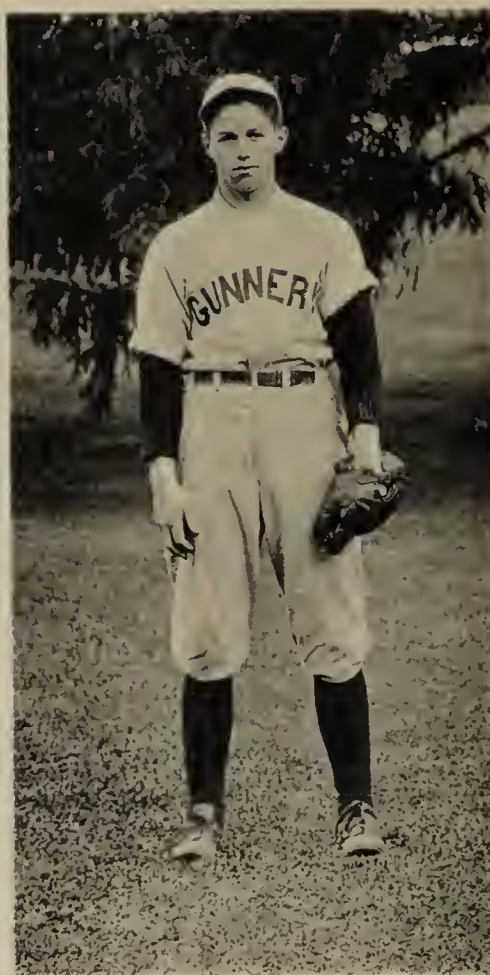
Jan. 16	Gunnery,	1.....7,	Taft
Jan. 19	Gunnery,	3.....1,	Berkshire
Jan. 23	Gunnery,	2.....3,	Lenox
Jan. 26	Gunnery,	6.....5,	Westminster
Jan. 30	Gunnery,	3.....5,	South Kent
Feb. 2	Gunnery,	10.....1,	Canterbury
Feb. 23	Gunnery,	2.....4,	South Kent



*Baseball . .*



MR. GODMAN  
*Coach*



FREDERIC BURR  
*Captain*



JOHN RAFTER  
*Manager*





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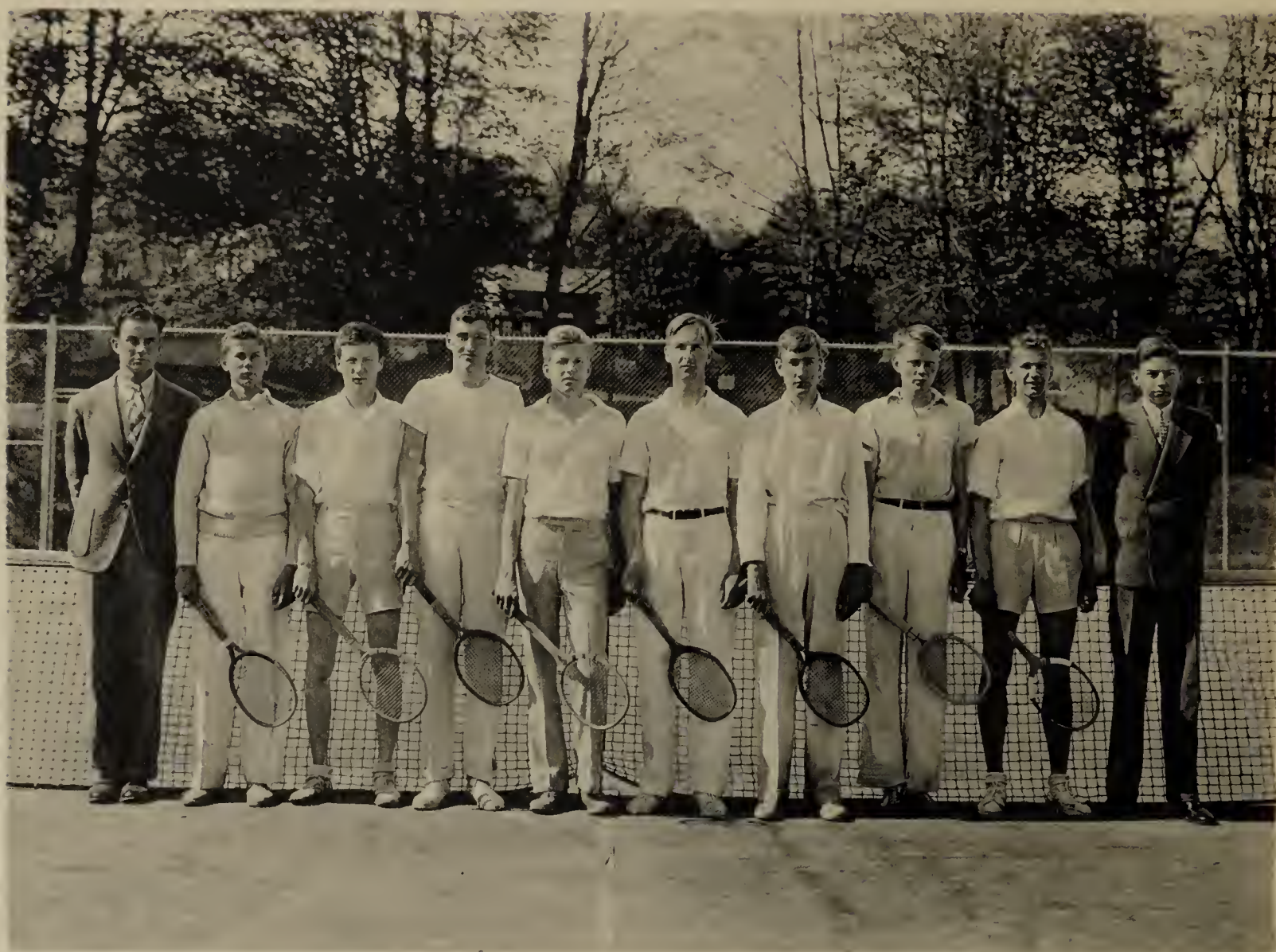
## Baseball . .



Apr. 20	Gunnery,	8.....	9, Romford
Apr. 24	Gunnery,	4.....	7, Kent
Apr. 27	Gunnery,	20.....	3, Salisbury
May 1	Gunnery,	8.....	7, Hackley
May 4	Gunnery,	9.....	10, South Kent
May 8	Gunnery,	20.....	3, Canterbury
May 11	Gunnery,	2.....	8, Hopkins
May 15	Gunnery,	7.....	8, Wooster
May 18	Gunnery,	8.....	11, Berkshire
May 22	Gunnery,	1.....	11, Ridgefield
May 25	Gunnery,	24.....	3, Alumni
May 29	Gunnery,	6.....	2, Canterbury
June 5	Gunnery,	5.....	9, Taft
June 8	Gunnery,	9.....	8, South Kent



*Tennis . .*



SHELDON JACKSON ..... *Captain*

MR. ELLIS ..... *Coach*

EDWARD MASON ..... *Manager*

May 1	Gunnery, 0.....9, Kent Seconds
May 13	Gunnery, 3.....1, Romford
May 15	Gunnery, 1.....6, Taft Seconds
May 16	Gunnery, 2.....5, Canterbury
May 21	Gunnery, 3.....4, Pawling
May 23	Gunnery, 6.....1, Hopkins
May 27	Gunnery, 4.....5, South Kent
May 31	Gunnery, 2.....6, Canterbury



## *Wearers of the "G"*

BRAMAN .....	<i>Football, Basketball, Baseball</i>
BRENNER .....	<i>Hockey, Baseball</i>
BROKAW, D. ....	<i>Football, Hockey*</i>
BURR, F. ....	<i>Football, Hockey, Baseball</i>
CASE .....	<i>Football, Basketball</i>
DAVOL, C. ....	<i>Football, Hockey</i>
DUTCHER .....	<i>Tennis</i>
EDMANDS .....	<i>Hockey, Tennis</i>
FLAGG .....	<i>Tennis</i>
FLAMMER, H. ....	<i>Football</i>
FOX .....	<i>Football, Basketball</i>
FRANCIS .....	<i>Football</i>
FRYE .....	<i>Football, Hockey</i>
HOWE .....	<i>Football, Hockey, Baseball</i>
JACKSON, D. ....	<i>Hockey</i>
JACKSON, S. ....	<i>Tennis</i>
LANMAN .....	<i>Football, Basketball, Baseball</i>
LEON .....	<i>Football, Basketball, Baseball</i>
MILLER, W. ....	<i>Hockey</i>
RAFTER .....	<i>Baseball*</i>
RICHARDSON .....	<i>Football, Hockey, Baseball</i>
RUDDOCK .....	<i>Basketball*</i>
SANFORD .....	<i>Football, Hockey</i>
SEELEY .....	<i>Football, Basketball, Baseball</i>
SMITH .....	<i>Football, Hockey</i>
SNOW .....	<i>Football*, Hockey</i>
STODDARD .....	<i>Basketball, Baseball</i>
UNDERHILL .....	<i>Football</i>
WOODIN .....	<i>Tennis</i>

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\* Manager





# SPORTS





# T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L



## *Organizations*

- . . *Red and Gray*
- . . *Stray Shot*
- . . *Hand-Book*
- . . *Student Council*
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- . . *Glee Club*
- . . *Dramatic Club*



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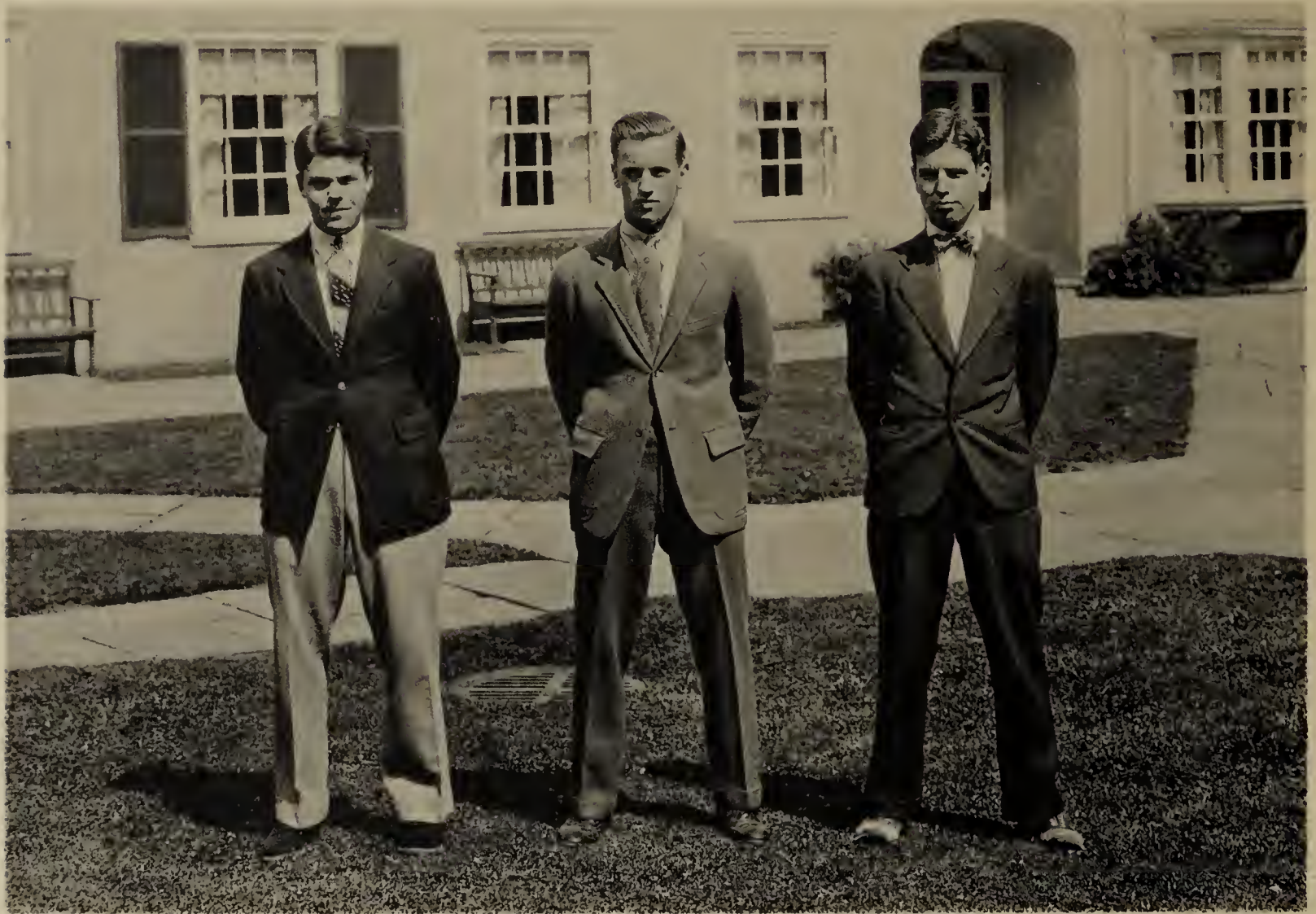
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## *Student Council . .*



### FALL TERM

BROKAW ..... *President*  
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LANMAN, DAVOL, C., BURCHARD, SMITH

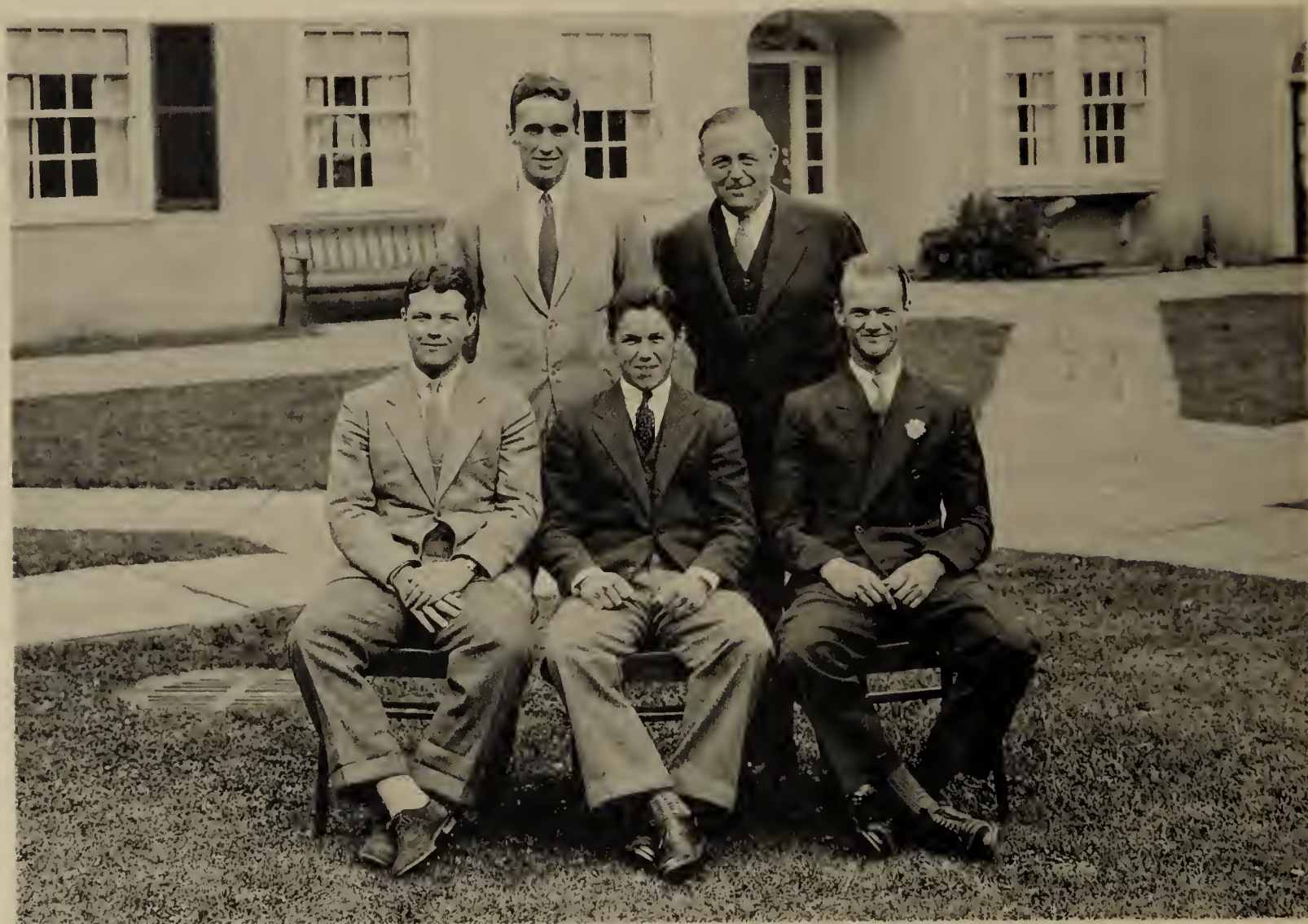
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*Athletic Council . .*



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FACULTY MEMBERS

MR. OSGOOD PERRY

MR. JOHN F. GODMAN



T H E   G U N N E R Y   S C H O O L

*Dance and Decorating Committees . .*



DANCE COMMITTEE

DAVID FLAGG, *Chairman*  
JOHN FRANCIS  
STEPHEN FRYE  
ALBERT RICHARDSON

DECORATING COMMITTEE

BILLINGS RUDDOCK  
JOHN SANFORD, JR.  
CHARLES DAVOL  
WILLIAM SANFORD



*Glee Club . .*



MR. WARREN S. HOLMES ..... *Director*  
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 BORIS GOROKHOFF ..... *Librarian*

*First Tenors*

BROKAW, R.  
 CAMPBELL  
 DAVEY  
 PAGE, R.

*Second Tenors*

CASE  
 JACKSON, D.  
 SEELEY

*Baritones*

BURCHARD  
 CLELAND  
 DUTCHER, C.  
 DUTCHER, L.  
 FLAGG  
 HAMMOND  
 SHILAND  
 SWIFT

*Basses*

FLAMMER, C.  
 GOROKHOFF  
 MARBLE  
 RUDDOCK  
 UNDERHILL



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## *Dramatic Association . .*



DAVID FLAGG ..... *President*  
CHARLES DAVOL ..... *Stage Manager*  
CLIFFORD OFF ..... *Property Manager*  
MR. FRANK BROWN ..... *Director*  
                    (School of the Drama, Yale University)  
MR. JAMES W. WILLIAMS ..... *Faculty Adviser and Assistant Director*

BURCHARD  
DAVEY  
DAVOL, J.  
DURFEE  
DUTCHER, C.  
FLAMMER, C.  
FRYE

GOROKHOFF  
JACKSON, D.  
JACKSON, S.  
MALLORY  
MASON  
OFF

PARK  
PATERSON  
RAFTER  
RYAN  
SHILAND  
UNDERHILL  
UPDEGRAFF



## “*R. U. R.*”

The Dramatic Association in 1935 tried a new type of play, the most ambitious in its history. The social satire of Karel Capek, “*R. U. R.*,” while difficult to perform, seemed to combine the factors we need, entertainment and a quality high enough to warrant the work put upon it. The school is to be congratulated that our boys would attempt such a play, and that they succeeded so well in producing it. This success was built on the fullest and most faithful coöperation between actors, stage hands, costumers and the coach.

Two of the cast had very heavy burdens. Jim Paterson, as Helena, carried beautifully the very long and emotionally difficult part of the leading lady. And Cornelius Dutcher, as Domin, mastered a part that was difficult because of its long “recitatives.” The supporting cast — Boris Gorokhoff, as a bespectacled psychologist, John Davol as technical manager, David Flagg, the director of training, David Park as a devout master builder, and Sam Underhill, the hard-headed business man — each contributed his share toward a smooth, convincing ensemble. Andy Shiland, as Nana, the buxom outspoken nurse, furnished a splendid characterization full of humor.

The work crews are especially worthy of mention. The stage crews, under Charles Davol, and the property crew, under Clifford Off, achieved swift changes of scenery and most effective lighting. This success comes only with long study and patient drill, and was achieved with cheerfulness and inconspicuous industry worthy of the highest praise.

The robots, again, in spite of their apparently uninteresting parts, by their expressionless, sinister but purposeful quality built up a feeling of forboding which rose to a tremendous climax of horror.

The association is grateful to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Ellis for their skilled and devoted work in costuming; to Mr. Emery for his accurate prompting, and to Mr. Williams for his kindness and patience in overseeing the production of the play.

The actual direction was in the hands of Mr. Frank Brown, of the Yale Theatre, and to him the association owes a great debt. His spirit in the face of every adversity was the keynote of the attack and drive of the play. Without his cheerful, kind disposition we could never have done our work as we did.





KNUTE



GIBBY



MOOSE  
AND MOOSELET



THE LORD



HANK



DUCKY



HONEST JOHN & PA



HENNIE



HARDY





REST



THE INFAMOUS FIVE



HEELING STAFF  
AT WORK



AT THE TENNIS



THE  
HONORABLE FACULTY



BREAD LINE



GHOST



THE FIELD



AMBY





SHINNY



GUNN



CLEARING THE RINK



LIMITED



BARTLETT



BEHIND THE SCENES



GUNNERY VS SOUTH KENT



"CANGO"





THE BELLINGER FIRE



SHACK



VENUS



LE DÉPART



"WHERE'S LEON"



COMMONROOM RUG





FISHING?



THE TRACTOR



"BATT'RIES FIR T'DAY"



LINING THE COURTS



SPRING CLEANING



THE PERRYS' AWNING



"PLEASE WIPE FEET"



TENNIS MATCH





"DOC"



SPECTATORS



BREAKFAST



JAKE & JOHNS



COMMISSIONER



ANNOUNCEMENTS



# T H E       G U N N E R Y       S C H O O L

## PRIZES AWARDED AT GUNNERY COMMENCEMENT

JUNE 8, 1935

1. *Brinsmade Prize*: Presented by Mr. and Mrs. John Brinsmade as a memorial to Mr. Brinsmade's father and mother, both noted for unselfish and sympathetic interest in people. Awarded to that boy who best combines unselfish and sympathetic interest in people with a purpose for citizenship and social responsibility.  
Awarded: HENRY WILLARD SEELEY, JR.
2. *Thomas Alexander Langford Memorial Prize*: Awarded to the Senior who in the estimation of the faculty and members of his class is "always a gentleman."  
Awarded: BILLINGS RUDDOCK.
3. *Guy Richards McLane Memorial Scholarship*, amounting to \$300, awarded annually to that boy who is in need of such assistance and who deserves it by his record for Gunnery School.  
Awarded: WILLIAM LEEDS BURCHARD.
4. *Henry Adams Memorial Scholarship*, amounting to \$250, awarded to that boy deserving financial assistance and having a record of high scholastic ability.  
Awarded: DAVID ALLEN PARK.
5. *Seabrook Prizes*:
  - a. For best poem in *Stray Shot* — "Three Sonnets".  
Awarded: RICHARD CORT HOLDEN.
  - b. For best prose work in *Stray Shot* — "The Bloody Coronation".  
Awarded: BORIS IVANOVITCH GOROKHOFF.
6. *Richard Burton Prize*: For appreciation of literary values.  
Awarded: DANIEL DE WITT BROKAW.
7. *Latin Prize*: For excellence in Latin.  
Awarded: BORIS IVANOVITCH GOROKHOFF.
8. *French Prizes*: (Mr. Randolph Bolles).
  1. For excellence in French.  
Awarded: DAVID ALLEN PARK.
  2. For best original prose writing in French.  
Awarded: BORIS IVANOVITCH GOROKHOFF.
- (9. *Harvard Club of Connecticut Book Prize*: Awarded to a member of the Junior class on the basis of diligence regarding studies and his success in other activities.  
Awarded: WILLIAM CURTIS CARROLL.
10. *Greatest Scholastic Improvement*:  
Awarded: JAMES BYRNE WETTLAUER.
11. *Athletic Cup*: Awarded to that boy who contributes most to the success of athletics during the school year by his effort, achievement, and spirit of cooperation.  
Awarded: FREDERIC MOTTET BURR.
12. *Highest Scholar First Form*. Awarded: STEPHEN BEMIS MARBLE ..... 76.03  
       "      "      *Second Form*. Awarded: LOWELL KING ..... 79.99  
       "      "      *Third Form*. Awarded: EDWARD ALLEN MASON ..... 86.32  
       "      "      *Junior Class*. Awarded: CHARLES MCKEW PARR, JR. .... 75.33  
       "      "      *Senior Class*. Awarded: BORIS IVANOVITCH GOROKHOFF ..... 84.81
13. *Highest Scholarship in the School*. Awarded: EDWARD ALLEN MASON ..... 86.32  
       *Honorable Mention*: DAVID ALLEN PARK ..... 85.79
14. *Edward Fuller Barnes Memorial Prize*:  
Awarded: JAMES GRAHAM PATERSON.
15. *Gunnery Cup*: Awarded annually to that boy who through his character and achievement shall have contributed most largely to the success of the school year.  
Awarded: HENRY WILLARD SEELEY, JR.



## *Mid-Winter House Party*

Although the Winter Houseparty was nearly cancelled this year due to the lack of girls, the Dance Committee finally put on the pressure, with the result that we had a large number of guests and a grand week-end.

After dinner on Friday the Dramatic Association started the week-end by putting on a remarkably finished performance of Karel Capek's, Russian drama "R. U. R." This play was followed by refreshments and informal dancing at Brinsmade, although many found it difficult to get up the hill because of the heavy snow.

Saturday's outdoor events were slightly hampered by the cold rain, yet the Hockey team was able to meet South Kent on slow ice and was defeated, 4 - 2. The afternoon saw the Basketball team win an exciting game from Kent, 19 - 18, and immediately afterwards the tea dance was held at the gym. After dinner the formal dance was held in Brinsmade, and was a great success. The Dance and Decorating Committee deserves a great deal of credit both for the attractive decorations, and the way the dance was carried off.

Sunday dawned clear, and although Church was in order for the boys, most of the girls slept late and had breakfast at the Infirmary. In the evening, for the first time in several years, a sleigh ride was enjoyed by all who attended, and this was a fitting end for a delightful week-end.

### HOSTS

David Lanman  
Raye Woodin  
John Francis  
William Miller  
James Smith  
John Sanford  
Kent King  
Albert Richardson  
David Durfee  
William Terhune  
Lowell King  
Stephen Marble  
George Brenner  
James Crary  
Charles Swift  
Henry Seeley  
Charles Flammer  
Edward Gibson  
David Jackson  
John Rafter  
John Davol  
Frank Cleland  
Edward Mason  
Egbert Hadley  
Theodore Snow

### GUESTS

Grace Abbott  
Henrietta Colgate  
Adele Thibault  
Mary Thurber  
Helen Stedman  
Helen Braman  
Sybil Graham  
Barbara Betterly  
June Forbes  
Jane Terhune  
Betsy Brewer  
Nedine Marble  
Estelle Burpee  
Lois Howard  
Brenda Frazier  
Betsy Anderson  
Frances Drisler  
Anne Hall  
Elizabeth Mowbray  
Natalie Burr  
Jean Symmes  
Elizabeth Cleland  
Mary Wardwell  
Helen Fleuheer  
Tilla McKnight



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## *Spring House Party*

The Spring Houseparty started on Friday afternoon with the playing of the tennis finals. Mr. Randolph Bolles presented cups to Sheldon Jackson, the winner, and Fred Burr, the runner-up. Afterwards the finalists and the members of the tennis team were invited to a small tea. Many of the guests arrived either shortly before or after dinner and were present at the annual outdoor concert presented by the Glee Club, which was followed by refreshments and informal dancing in Brinsmade.

The Commencement Exercises were held on Saturday morning at the Congregational Church. Dean Wicks of Princeton made the address to the graduating class, and gave one of the finest speeches ever heard here. The luncheon at school was attended by many of the parents, and later a very long baseball game was witnessed by those who could withstand the downpour. Those present saw South Kent defeated. The tea dance was a welcome relief after the wet game and everyone enjoyed the music and refreshments. Dinner was at eight and afterwards the Spring Dance lasted until two o'clock. Again the Decoration Committee did a splendid job, making the dance floor gay with attractive bunting and streamers.

On Sunday morning Rev. Robert E. Carter delivered a fine baccalaureate sermon, and after lunch most of the guests departed, finishing another Commencement week-end, one that was marked by an unusually large number of families and friends of the School.

HOSTS	GUESTS	HOSTS	GUESTS
George Brenner	Helen Stedman	Harold Flammer	Janet Morse
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Albert Richardson	Frances Drisler	Norman Updegraff	Anne Gilbert
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Randolph Howe	Selly Davol	Meisenhelder, '34	Margaret Horton
Billings Ruddock	Helen Braman	Vance, '32	Emma McGuire
Fred Burr	Elizabeth Mowbray	Perkins, '34	Betty Alexander
David Lanman	Grace Abbott	Beaman, '34	Roslyn Smith
David Durfee	Ruth Seeley	Turner, '33	Marie Arnold
Ted Snow	Natalie Burr	Kellogg, '31	
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## *School Notes*

### FALL TERM

#### SEPTEMBER

- 19—Early football gets under way as two men report for early practice.
- 20—The school, en masse, arrives from a strenuous vacation, judging from the stories.
- 21—Classes begin with the usual queries from the new boys regarding various phases of school life.
- 24—School life begins in earnest, with the masters starting off on their long assignments. Football continues.
- 25—Some of the football squad are seen limping around with stiff joints, due to a strenuous grass drill.
- 26—New Boy rules go on, with Ryan minus a purple shirt.
- 28—The student Council elections are held with the following results: Brokaw, Lanman, Seeley, Fox, Howe and Dutcher.
- 29—School life goes on under a heavy, all-day downpour.

#### OCTOBER

- 2—Some don't like the liver served at lunch, but Ryan, undaunted, downs nearly a whole platter by himself.
- 4—The Waterbury newspapers finally realize what a young giant we have for a football coach! Second team game: Romford 27, Gunnery 0.
- 6—Squad goes down to see Yale get licked, despite Mr. Godman's predictions, as the stands are drenched in the heavy downpour.
- 9—The faculty pacifies the Seniors by postponing study hall rules for two weeks.
- 11—The third team defeats Sout Kent 6 - 0.
- 13—First team defeats Hackley 33 - 0 at Tarrytown. Francis emerges from the game looking like a pelican.
- 15—School walk to Mt. Tom. The usual wanderers appear late for lunch, and some arrive back at school after dark. Mr. Gibson and Pa officiate at lunch



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cooking, and everyone welcomes the chops, hot dogs and cocoa prepared by Miss Rice.

16—The second team loses to South Kent 13 - 0.

17—A multitude of cards appear at announcements.

20—The varsity overcomes Canterbury at home 32 - 7.

22—The second team loses to Republic, 35 - 6.

25—The second and third teams both clash with Canterbury, the seconds playing to a scoreless tie, the thirds winning 38 - 0. Mr. Gibson lectures on the ungentlemanly language.

26—A ghost enveloped in red is seen stalking the dining room but no one is terribly frightened.

27—The football team beats Wooster 33 - 0. After a riotous dinner, the new boys present a play and ballet, which is followed by an informal dance with Wykeham.

## NOVEMBER

1—The seniors have their pictures taken and miraculously, the camera is still being used.

3—Gunnery defeats Storm King 38 - 6, as the team journeys over to the Hudson. On returning, the team serenades other passengers on the ferry with their French theme songs.

5—Exams.

6—Exams, with football practice rained out.

9—Second team loses 14 - 0 to Ridgefield.

10—A double header at Gunnery, in which third team loses to Harvey, and the first team beats Salisbury 31 - 0.

12—First real signs of winter, with snow flurries during football practice. The coaching staff is responsible for daring propaganda against South Kent.

13—Jim Crary appears at classes without socks. Afraid of the seniors, Jim? Steve Frye tries a flying block in the field-house locker room, and finds the tile floor harder than the football field.

15—The third team bows to South Kent 13 - 0 in the first of the three game series with South Kent.



- 16—The second team wins from South Kent.
- 17—The Varsity ties South Kent 14 - 14, before large crowd at South Kent. The Seniors enjoy a smoker with Mr. Godman in Mr. Gibson's office.
- 19—Touch football is indulged in by most of the school since regular football is through.
- 24—Many from the school go down to watch Yale trim Harvard to the great joy of Mr. Godman, although most of the other masters seem a little silent.
- 25—The school is awakened at 5:30 A. M. by a fire on the Green, in which the house of Mr. Beelinger is destroyed. We are later dismayed to learn of the death of Mr. Beelinger in the blaze.
- 26—Basketball practice begins.
- 28—The Seniors and the few others of the first nine leave for Thanksgiving vacation.
- 29—Those who remain at school enjoy an excellent Thanksgiving dinner.

#### DECEMBER

- 2—The School resumes its normal routine as the Seniors return with many stories and dark-circled eyes. Basketball gets under way in earnest with the arrival of the new coach, Mr. Henry Carrington of Waterbury.
- 3—Hockey gets under way, with all candidates shooting off boards until we get some ice. The Faculty team manages to nose out the Romford Masters in touch football, although to all reports, it was rather a shady victory.
- 7—Remarkable changes in grade results. Episcopal church Fair.
- 8—Real cold weather with good ice, but not good enough for the school. The football dance is held, and due to Flagg and his beflowered associates, the affair is enjoyed by all.
- 9—Good hockey weather, and everybody joins in the proverbial Sunday shinny. Seeley stops a hockey stick with his face.
- 10—The Basketball team meets the High School as the Hockey squad enjoys its first practice on ice.
- 13—The Basketball team overcomes Romford.
- 15—The Hockey team meets Romford as the Burr captains face each other.
- 17—Exams.



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## JANUARY

- 10—With a few exceptions due to illness and “extra days”, most of the fellows come back to school, many with haggard faces and stories of glorious times. “Last week at this time . . . . .”
- 11—Studies are resumed, with basketball once more getting under way.
- 14—Very cold weather with snow.
- 15—The Basketball team bows to Berkshire in a fast Tri-State League game 28-27, as the Hockey Team loses to Taft, 6-1.
- 19—The Hockey team conquers Berkshire for the first time in many years, 3-1, as Hackley swamps the Basketball Team.
- 23—With a driving snow throughout the game, the Hockey Team loses to Loomis on the visitor's rink.
- 26—With Burr leading the last period drive, Gunnery defeats the Westminster Hockey Team, while the Basketball Team was losing to Bawling in a thrilling overtime match with the final score 44-42. Mr. Gibson starts on a South American cruise.
- 30—Hockey and Basketball teams lose to South Kent and Kent, respectively.

## FEBRUARY

- 2—Hockey team beats Canterbury 10-1.
- 6—Basketball team loses to Taft, 44-16.
- 16—Basketball team wins over Canterbury, 31-19.
- 21—Houseparty. Dramatic Association presents “R. U. R.” and does a splendid Job. Many Alumni return.
- 22—Hockey team loses 3-2 on poor ice, but the Basketball team defeats Kent in an exciting game 19-18. A tea-dance follows, with a dinner and dance in the evening. The day a great success, despite much snow and rain.
- 23—A sleigh ride is enjoyed for the first time in many years, and the houseparty closes with a burst of song.
- 24—Classes continue with many yawns and far away looks in glassy eyes.
- 27—Basketball team loses to Pawling.



MARCH

- 2—Basketball team swamped by powerful Roxbury five. In the evening a play is presented by the Woman's Club with several "campus characters" in the cast.
- 6—Basketball season closes with a victory over Canterbury. The school, and especially those who have worked with him, hate to see Mr. Carrington finish his season's coaching.
- 10—As vacation nears, spring fever has its usual disastrous effect upon the school.
- 18—Exams!
- 21—Vacation. We depart for a much needed rest.

APRIL

- 4—On our return, Mr. Gibson is here to greet us, having returned from his southern cruise.
- 5—Mr. Emery waxes sarcastic about the lovely New England weather.
- 9—We are addressed by Dr. Francis Parker, prior of St. Andrew's School, who is one of the most interesting speakers we have heard.
- 10—Council Elections: D. Brokaw, Lanman, Seeley, Fox, Howe, Paterson.
- 15—Moose Lanier and Honest John Godman promise great things as the fishing season opens, but Mr. Williams "brings home the bacon"!
- 16—Due to the efforts of Andy Shiland, the movie fund is growing fast.
- 17—With much advance ballyhoo and forged endorsements, Jake and John set up their barbershop in Bartlett.
- 19—Good Friday. After a rather unfortunate interpretation of the tonsorial art on Cliffy Off's head, Jake and John, barbers, announce that henceforth John will shine shoes.
- 20—Gunnery loses to Romford. We hear of celebrations and bonfires at Romford, and imagine that Mr. Cruikshank has finally burned his Gunnery sweater.
- 23—The Flying Dutchman is portrayed by Sam Underhill and his bicycle, as he quite unexpectedly hits a stone wall.
- 24—Varsity loses to Kent in baseball.



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26—The Senior-Junior Banquet is held at the Mayflower, with Housh and Burr as the main attractions.

## MAY

- 1—Gunnery wins over Hackley in the ninth inning.
- 4—Pop-Eye and his South Kent cohorts defeat the Varsity 7 - 6. The Third Team bows to Harvey.
- 8—Gunnery 19, Canterbury 3.
- 10—Ruddock grapples with darkness and emerges with a sprained ankle.
- 11—A strong Hopkins team defeats Gunnery 8 - 2.
- 13—Wykeham and Gunnery seniors gather at a tea given by Miss Kempton.
- 15—Wooster defeats Gunnery at Danbury.
- 20—There are fewer canoists than last year although several hearty lads return thoroughly soaked.
- 25—The Annual Alumni weekend, with Gunnery victorious in the traditional baseball game, is enjoyed by a large number of Alumni. The Alumni dinner with senior waiters, is followed by a dance in Brinsmade.
- 28—The Masters are piling on the work in preparation for Boards, which, we seem to have forgotten, are nearly upon us.
- 29—Gunnery 6, Canterbury 2, with Captain Burr twirling a fine game.

## JUNE

- 5—The Varsity loses a close game to Taft.
- 6—Final exams for those lucky boys who are not taking Boards.
- 7—Jackson wins the school tennis tournament. In the evening the Glee Club presents its annual concert to the boys and their houseparty guests.
- 8—Rain does not hamper Commencement Exercises, but turned the baseball game into a swimming meet. Dinner is followed by the Spring Dance, and all seem to have a good time.
- 9—After church some members of the school depart, leaving others to enjoy the last half day of leisure.
- 10—Coaching classes begin, and the last guests leave us with the cheerful prospect of Boards and hot weather.





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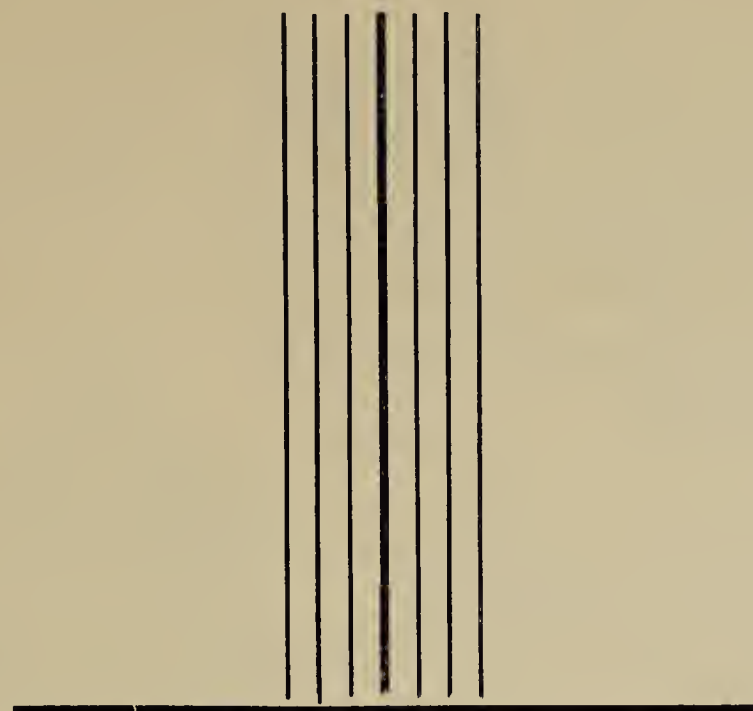
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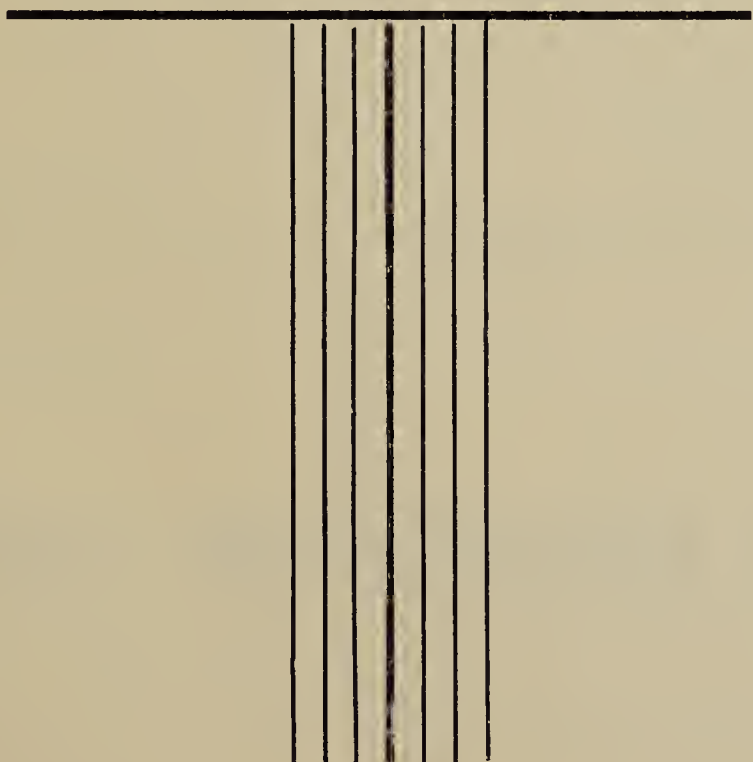
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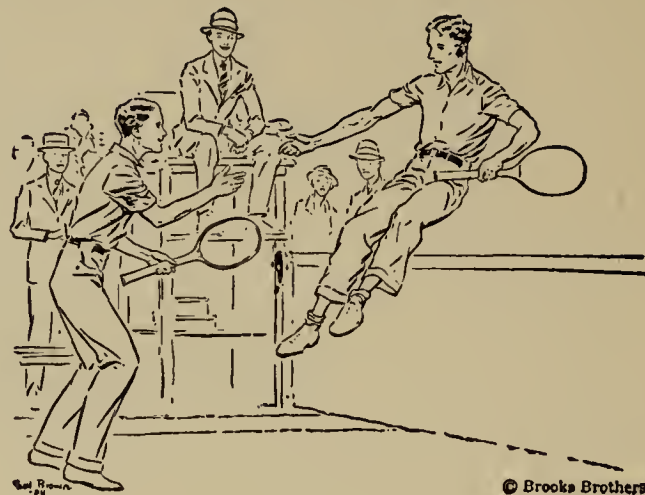


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